GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 12, 2011

TO: Chris Lanane, Guy Davis

FROM: Mike Horn

SUBJECT: Quality Assurance Audit Report

Attached is the draft version of the document, "Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District Quality Assurance Audit Report, Mono Lake Shore, October 12, 2011," for your review. Please refer any comments you may have on the document to me by December 12, 2011. If no comments are received by that date, the report will be considered final.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Quality Assurance
Audit Report

SITE:
MONO LAKE SHORE

Report Date: October 12, 2011
Prepared by: Mike S. Horn

1.0 Introduction

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In keeping with the District's QA program goals, the BGI, PM-10 Monitoring Station at Mono Lake Shore was audited on October 12, 2011. The audit was conducted by Mike Horn and was witnessed by Guy Davis, who is the site operator.

2.0 Parameters Audited:

T.E.O.M. PM-10

3.0 Results and Actions

The results of the audit are summarized below. Any problems found are addressed under the heading, "Action," and are given below. Sensor responses not specifically addressed below responded within the audit criteria limits. The audit data are presented in detail in Appendix A. The certifications of the audit devices are presented in Appendix B. Audit criteria based on Title 40 code of Federal Regulations Part 58, Appendix A (October 2006), the USEPA Quality Assurance Handbook for Air Pollution Measurement Systems Volumes II, 1997, and IV, 2007, and/ or on the manufactures recommendations, are presented in table A-1.

4.0 Recommendations and Comments

There are no recommendations or comments at this time.

APPENDIX A

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance (TEOM)
AUDIT

Date of report:	10/12/11	Site name:	Mono Shore
Date:	10/12/11	Operator:	Guy Davis
Start:	11:10hrs. PST	Project:	SB - 270
Finish:	11:30hrs. PST	Site Elevation:	6422 ft.
Audited By:	Mike Horn	Amb. Pres.:	813.50 hPa
Witness:	Guy Davis	Amb. Temp.:	16.6 deg. C
		Make:	R & P
Prop. or Serial No.:	24920	Model:	1400ab
Type:	PM-10	Last cal. date:	6/8/11

AUDIT DEVICE(S)

Make:	BGI Incorporated	Make:	BGI Incorporated
Model:	DELTA CAL	Model:	DELTA CAL
S/N:	525	S/N:	525
Range:	2 - 20 lpm	Range:	2 - 20 lpm
	Calibration Factors		Calibration Factors
Slope:	1.00	Slope:	1.00
Intercept:	0.00	Intercept:	0.00
Cal Date:	1/4/11	Cal Date:	12/4/11

	Main:	Aux:	Sampler temp:	Diff.	Sampler press:	Diff.
Leak check:	0.150	0.190	16.6	0	808.37	-5.1
Dark current:	0.150	0.160				

Audit Point	Audit Flow Rate, ΔP, in. H2O	Audit Flow Rate, (VLPM)	Site Flow Rate (VLPM)	Diff. (%)	Nominal Flow Rates Lower Limit (LPM)	Nominal Flow Rates Upper Limit (LPM)
Qa=[dPxTa/Pa]$^{1/2}$+b						
Total Flow Rate	16.96	16.96	16.68	-1.7	15.0	18.4
Bypass/Aux Flow Rate	13.87	13.87	13.69	-1.3		
Main Flow Rate	3.00	3.00	2.99	-0.3	2.7	3.3
Total Flow Rate	16.88	16.88	16.68	-1.2	15.0	18.4

Comments: None.

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance (TEOM)
FLOW AUDIT

Date:	10/2/11		Site Name:	Mono Shas Hwy 2 Davis	
Start:	11:16	PST	Operator:		
Finish:	11:30	PST	Project:	SB270	
			Site Elevation:		ft
			Amb. Press.:	813.5	in. Hg
			Amb. Temp.:	16.6	deg. C
Prop. Or Ser. No.:	24920		Make:	R&P	
Type:	PM10		Model:	1400a	
			Last Cal. Date:	9/14/11	

Audit Device(s)			
Make:	BGI INCORPORATED	Make:	BGI INCORPORATED
Model:	DELTA CAL	Model:	DELTA CAL
S/N:	~~0123~~ 525	S/N:	0123
Range:	2 - 20 lpm	Range:	2 - 20 lpm
Calibration factors:		Calibration factors:	
Slope:	1.0	Slope:	1.0
Int.:	0.0	Int.:	0.0
Cal Date:	1/4/11	Cal Date:	

$Q_a=m[dP \times T_a/P_a]^{1/2}+b$ Altitude Correction Factor: ÷ 1013

Leak Check-Initial	Main:	.15	Aux:	.17
Leak Check-Final	Main:		Aux:	

Audit Point	Audit Flow Rate delta P	(VLPM)	Site Flow Rate (VLPM)	Diff. (%)	Nominal Flow Rates Lower Limit (LPM)	Upper Limit (LPM)
Total Fow Rate	16.96		2.99/13.69 = 16.68		15.0	18.4
Aux. Flow Rate	13.87		13.69			
Main Flow Rate	3.00		2.99		2.7	3.3
Total Flow Rate	16.88		16.68		15.0	18.4

	Sampler	Standard True	Standard Raw
Amb Temp	16.6		16.6
Amb Press	.798	808.37	813.5

Comments:

Calibrated By: Mike Tom

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DATE: August 2, 2011

TO: Chris Lanane, Guy Davis

FROM: Mike Horn

SUBJECT: Quality Assurance Audit Report

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Quality Assurance
Audit Report

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2.0 Parameters Audited:

T.E.O.M. PM-10

3.0 Results and Actions

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There are no recommendations or comments at this time.

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Date of report:	8/2/11	Site name:	Mono Shore
Date:	8/1/11	Operator:	Guy Davis
Start:	12:20hrs. PST	Project:	SB - 270
Finish:	12:40hrs. PST	Site Elevation:	6422 ft.
Audited By:	Mike Horn	Amb. Pres.:	811.00 hPa
Witness:	Guy Davis	Amb. Temp.:	27.2 deg. C
		Make:	R & P
Prop. or Serial No.:	24920	Model:	1400ab
Type:	PM-10	Last cal. date:	6/8/11

AUDIT DEVICE(S)

Make:	BGI Incorporated			Make:	BGI Incorporated	
Model:	DELTA CAL			Model:	DELTA CAL	
S/N:	525			S/N:	525	
Range:	2 - 20 lpm			Range:	2 - 20 lpm	
	Calibration Factors				Calibration Factors	
Slope:	1.00			Slope:	1.00	
Intercept:	0.00			Intercept:	0.00	
Cal Date:	1/4/11			Cal Date:	12/4/11	
	Main:	Aux:	Sampler temp:	Diff.	Sampler press:	Diff.
Leak check:	0.190	0.210	26.9	-0.3	808.37	-2.6
Dark current:	0.150	0.160				

Audit Point	Audit Flow Rate, ΔP, in. H2O	Audit Flow Rate, (VLPM)	Site Flow Rate (VLPM)	Diff. (%)	Nominal Flow Rates Lower Limit (LPM)	Nominal Flow Rates Upper Limit (LPM)
	Qa=[dPxTa/Pa]$^{1/2}$+b					
Total Flow Rate	16.96	16.96	16.68	-1.7	15.0	18.4
Bypass/Aux Flow Rate	13.94	13.94	13.69	-1.8		
Main Flow Rate	2.90	2.90	2.99	3.1	2.7	3.3
Total Flow Rate	16.94	16.94	16.68	-1.5	15.0	18.4

Comments: None.

TABLE A-1

GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT
QUALITY ASSURANCE PERFORMANCE AUDIT CRITERIA

Measurement Variable		Evaluation Criteria
Wind Speed		At ws ≤ 5 m/s, input ± 0.25 m/s; At ws > 5 m/s, input ± 5% Starting threshold: 0.5 m/s; R. M. Young 05305 Wind Monitor AQ Starting threshold: 1.0 m/s; R. M. Young 05103 Wind Monitor and NRG Max 40H
Wind Direction		input ± 5° Starting threshold: 0.5 m/s; R. M. Young 05305 Wind Monitor AQ Starting threshold: 1.0 m/s; R. M. Young 05103 Wind Monitor
Temperature		input ± 0.5° C Gravimetry Lab ± 1.0 deg. C input ± 2.0° C for PM-10, PM-2.5 samplers
Relative Humidity		Ambient: input ± 5% RH, ± 1.5°C as dew point Gravimetry Lab: input ± 5%
Precipitation		input ± 10%
Barometric Pressure		Ambient: input ± 10 hPa TEOM: ± 10 mm mercury
PM-10: Hi-Vol SSI, Partisol, BGI, PM-2.5		input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 4%; Design Flow ± 5%
TEOM:	Total Flow Main Flow Bypass Flow	input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10%
TEOM:	Leak Check	Main Flow: < 0.15 LPM Bypass Flow: < 0.60 LPM

Appendix B

GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT
QUALITY ASSURANCE CERTIFICATIONS OF AUDIT DEVICES

AUDIT DEVICE	Serial #	Cal Date:	Slope:	Intercept:
BGI Delta CAL:	123	1/24/11	1.0	0.0
BGI Delta CAL:	525	1/4/11	1.0	0.0
Testo 735-1	01467895/712	12/16/10	1.0006	0.0209
Barigo Altimeter/Barometer:	P9	12/17/10	1.0	0.0
RM Young wind speed motor:	CUO1, HSO1	12/3/10	N/A	N/A
Psychro-Dyne Psychrometer:	RH 04	N/A	1 0	1 0
Texas Electronics FC-525 Precipitation:	52202	N/A		
Chinook Eng. Streamline FTS	108	9/8/10	0.41	0.6

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance (TEOM)
FLOW AUDIT

Date:	8/1/11		Site Name:	Mono Shore
Start:	12:20	PST	Operator:	DG/Davis
Finish:	12:40	PST	Project:	SB270
			Site Elevation:	ft
			Amb. Press.:	811.0 in. Hg
			Amb. Temp.:	27.2 deg. C
Prop. Or Ser. No.:	24920		Make:	R&P
Type:	PM10		Model:	1400a
			Last Cal. Date:	6/8/11

Audit Device(s)

Make:	BGI INCORPORATED	Make:	BGI INCORPORATED
Model:	DELTA CAL	Model:	DELTA CAL
S/N:	~~0123~~ 525	S/N:	0123
Range:	2 - 20 lpm	Range:	2 - 20 lpm
Calibration factors:		Calibration factors:	
Slope:	1.0	Slope:	1.0
Int.:	0.0	Int.:	0.0
Cal Date:	1/4/11	Cal Date:	--

$Q_a = m[dP x T_a / P_a]^{1/2} + b$ Altitude Correction Factor: ÷ 1013

Leak Check-Initial	Main: .19	Aux: .21
Leak Check-Final	Main: .15	Aux: .16

Audit Point	Audit Flow Rate delta P	(VLPM)	Site Flow Rate (VLPM)	Diff. (%)	Nominal Flow Rates Lower Limit (LPM)	Upper Limit (LPM)
Total Fow Rate	16.96		2.99/13.69 = 16.68		15.0	18.4
Aux. Flow Rate	13.94		13.69			
Main Flow Rate	2.90		2.99		2.7	3.3
Total Flow Rate	16.94		16.68		15.0	18.4

	Sampler	Standard True	Standard Raw
Amb Temp	26.9		27.2
Amb Press	.798	808.37	811.0

Comments:

Calibrated By: Mike K[illegible]

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Barigo Altimeter/Barometer:	P9	12/17/10	1.0	0.0
RM Young wind speed motor:	CUO1, HSO1	12/3/10	N/A	N/A
Psychro-Dyne Psychrometer:	RH 04	N/A	1 0	1 0
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Wind Direction		input ± 5° Starting threshold: 0.5 m/s; R. M. Young 05305 Wind Monitor AQ Starting threshold: 1.0 m/s; R. M. Young 05103 Wind Monitor
Temperature		input ± 0.5° C Gravimetry Lab ± 1.0 deg. C input ± 2.0° C for PM-10, PM-2.5 samplers
Relative Humidity		Ambient: input ± 5% RH, ± 1.5°C as dew point Gravimetry Lab: input ± 5%
Precipitation		input ± 10%
Barometric Pressure		Ambient: input ± 10 hPa TEOM: ± 10 mm mercury
PM-10: Hi-Vol SSI, Partisol, BGI, PM-2.5		input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 4%; Design Flow ± 5%
TEOM:	Total Flow Main Flow Bypass Flow	input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10%
TEOM:	Leak Check	Main Flow: < 0.15 LPM Bypass Flow: < 0.60 LPM

GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 6, 2011

TO: Chris Lanane, Guy Davis

FROM: Mike Horn

SUBJECT: Quality Assurance Audit Report

Attached is the draft version of the document, "Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District Quality Assurance Audit Report, Mono Lake Shore, May 6, 2011," for your review. Please refer any comments you may have on the document to me by July 6, 2011. If no comments are received by that date, the report will be considered final.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Quality Assurance
Audit Report

SITE:
MONO LAKE SHORE

Report Date: May 6, 2011
Prepared by: Mike S. Horn

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In keeping with the District's QA program goals, the BGI, PM-10 Monitoring Station at Mono Lake Shore was audited on May 3, 2011. The audit was conducted by Mike Horn and was witnessed by Guy Davis, who is the site operator.

2.0 Parameters Audited:

T.E.O.M. PM-10

3.0 Results and Actions

The results of the audit are summarized below. Any problems found are addressed under the heading, "Action," and are given below. Sensor responses not specifically addressed below responded within the audit criteria limits. The audit data are presented in detail in Appendix A. The certifications of the audit devices are presented in Appendix B. Audit criteria based on Title 40 code of Federal Regulations Part 58, Appendix A (October 2006), the USEPA Quality Assurance Handbook for Air Pollution Measurement Systems Volumes II, 1997, and IV, 2007, and/ or on the manufactures recommendations, are presented in table A-1.

4.0 Recommendations and Comments

There are no recommendations or comments at this time.

APPENDIX A

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance (TEOM)
AUDIT

Date of report:	5/6/11	Site name:	Mono Shore
Date:	5/3/11	Operator:	Guy Davis
Start:	12:05hrs. PST	Project:	SB - 270
Finish:	12:25hrs. PST	Site Elevation:	6422 ft.
Audited By:	Mike Horn	Amb. Pres.:	809.40 hPa
Witness:	Guy Davis	Amb. Temp.:	20.2 deg. C
		Make:	R & P
Prop. or Serial No.:	24920	Model:	1400ab
Type:	PM-10	Last cal. date:	3/29/11

AUDIT DEVICE(S)

Make:	BGI Incorporated	Make:	BGI Incorporated
Model:	DELTA CAL	Model:	DELTA CAL
S/N:	525	S/N:	525
Range:	2 - 20 lpm	Range:	2 - 20 lpm
	Calibration Factors		Calibration Factors
Slope:	1.00	Slope:	1.00
Intercept:	0.00	Intercept:	0.00
Cal Date:	1/4/11	Cal Date:	12/4/11

	Main:	Aux:	Sampler temp:	Diff.	Sampler press:	Diff.
Leak check:	0.150	0.210	20.2	0	805.36	-4.0
Dark current:	N/A	N/A				

$Qa=[dPxTa/Pa]^{1/2}+b$

Audit Point	Audit Flow Rate, ΔP, in. H2O	Audit Flow Rate, (VLPM)	Site Flow Rate (VLPM)	Diff. (%)	Nominal Flow Rates Lower Limit (LPM)	Nominal Flow Rates Upper Limit (LPM)
Total Flow Rate	16.99	16.99	16.67	-1.9	15.0	18.4
Bypass/Aux Flow Rate	13.91	13.91	13.68	-1.7		
Main Flow Rate	2.91	2.91	2.99	2.7	2.7	3.3
Total Flow Rate	16.98	16.98	16.67	-1.8	15.0	18.4

Comments: None.

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Wind Direction		input ± 5° Starting threshold: 0.5 m/s; R. M. Young 05305 Wind Monitor AQ Starting threshold: 1.0 m/s; R. M. Young 05103 Wind Monitor
Temperature		input ± 0.5° C input ± 2.0° C for PM-10, PM-2.5 samplers
Relative Humidity		Ambient: input ± 5% RH, ± 1.5°C as dew point Gravimetry Lab: input ± 5%
Precipitation		input ± 10%
Barometric Pressure		Ambient: input ± 10 hPa TEOM: ± 10 mm mercury
PM-10: Hi-Vol SSI, Partisol, BGI, PM-2.5		input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 4%; Design Flow ± 5%
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Cole-Parmer 3312-40 Psychrometer:	RH 03	12/10/04	Wet 1.0037 Dry 1.0059	Wet -0.0598 Dry -0.1518
Texas Electronics FC-525 Precipitation:	52202	N/A		
Chinook Eng. Streamline FTS	108	9/8/10	0.41	0.6

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance (TEOM)
FLOW AUDIT

Date:	5/3/11		Site Name:	Mono Shore	
Start:	12:05	PST	Operator:	Ray/Dave	
Finish:	12:25	PST	Project:	SB270	
			Site Elevation:		ft
			Amb. Press.:	809.4	in. Hg
			Amb. Temp.:	20.2	deg. C
Prop. Or Ser. No.:	24920		Make:	R&P	
Type:	PM10		Model:	1400a	
			Last Cal. Date:	3/29/11	

Audit Device(s)			
Make:	BGI INCORPORATED	Make:	BGI INCORPORATED
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S/N:	~~0123~~ 525	S/N:	0123
Range:	2 - 20 lpm	Range:	2 - 20 lpm
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	Sampler	Standard True	Standard Raw
Amb Temp	20.2		20.2
Amb Press	.795	805.36	809.4

Comments:

Calibrated By: MLL

GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

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TO: Chris Lanane, Guy Davis

FROM: Mike Horn

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AUDIT DEVICE(S)

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	Calibration Factors		Calibration Factors
Slope:	1.00	Slope:	1.00
Intercept:	0.00	Intercept:	0.00
Cal Date:	1/4/11	Cal Date:	12/4/11

	Main:	Aux:	Sampler temp:	Diff.	Sampler press:	Diff.
Leak check:	0.160	0.220	-1.8	-0.8	810.40	-3.1
Dark current:	N/A	N/A				

$Qa=[dPxTa/Pa]^{1/2}+b$

Audit Point	Audit Flow Rate, ΔP, in. H2O	Audit Flow Rate, (VLPM)	Site Flow Rate (VLPM)	Diff. (%)	Nominal Flow Rates Lower Limit (LPM)	Nominal Flow Rates Upper Limit (LPM)
Total Flow Rate	17.04	17.04	16.67	-2.2	15.0	18.4
Bypass/Aux Flow Rate	13.94	13.94	13.68	-1.9		
Main Flow Rate	2.99	2.99	2.99	0.0	2.7	3.3
Total Flow Rate	16.94	16.94	16.67	-1.6	15.0	18.4

Comments: None.

TABLE A-1

GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT
QUALITY ASSURANCE PERFORMANCE AUDIT CRITERIA

Measurement Variable		Evaluation Criteria
Wind Speed		At ws ≤ 5 m/s, input ± 0.25 m/s; At ws > 5 m/s, input ± 5% Starting threshold: 0.5 m/s; R. M. Young 05305 Wind Monitor AQ Starting threshold: 1.0 m/s; R. M. Young 05103 Wind Monitor and NRG Max 40H
Wind Direction		input ± 5° Starting threshold: 0.5 m/s; R. M. Young 05305 Wind Monitor AQ Starting threshold: 1.0 m/s; R. M. Young 05103 Wind Monitor
Temperature		input ± 0.5° C input ± 2.0° C for PM-10, PM-2.5 samplers
Relative Humidity		Ambient: input ± 5% RH, ± 1.5°C as dew point Gravimetry Lab: input ± 5%
Precipitation		input ± 10%
Barometric Pressure		Ambient: input ± 10 hPa TEOM: ± 10 mm mercury
PM-10: Hi-Vol SSI, Partisol, BGI, PM-2.5		input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 4%; Design Flow ± 5%
TEOM:	Total Flow Main Flow Bypass Flow	input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10% input ± 10%; Design Flow ± 10%
TEOM:	Leak Check	Main Flow: < 0.15 LPM Bypass Flow: < 0.60 LPM

Appendix B

GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT
QUALITY ASSURANCE CERTIFICATIONS OF AUDIT DEVICES

AUDIT DEVICE	Serial #	Cal Date:	Slope:	Intercept:
BGI Delta CAL:	123	1/24/11	1.0	0.0
BGI Delta CAL:	525	1/4/11	1.0	0.0
Testo 735-1	01467895/712	12/16/10	1.0006	0.0209
Barigo Altimeter/Barometer:	P9	12/17/10	1.0	0.0
RM Young wind speed motor:	CUO1, HSO1	12/3/10	N/A	N/A
Cole-Parmer 3312-40 Psychrometer:	RH 03	12/10/04	Wet 1.0037 Dry 1.0059	Wet -0.0598 Dry -0.1518
Texas Electronics FC-525 Precipitation:	52202	N/A		

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District
Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance (TEOM)
FLOW AUDIT

Date:	2/2/11		Site Name:	Mono Shop	
Start:	12:30	PST	Operator:	Guy Dave	
Finish:	12:50	PST	Project:	SB270	
			Site Elevation:		ft
			Amb. Press.:	813.5	in. Hg
			Amb. Temp.:	-1.0	deg. C
Prop. Or Ser. No.:	24920		Make:	R&P	
Type:	PM10		Model:	1400a	
			Last Cal. Date:	1/7/11	

Audit Device(s)			
Make:	BGI INCORPORATED	Make:	BGI INCORPORATED
Model:	DELTA CAL	Model:	DELTA CAL
S/N:	0123 525	S/N:	0123
Range:	2 - 20 lpm	Range:	2 - 20 lpm
Calibration factors:		Calibration factors:	
Slope:	1.0	Slope:	1.0
Int.:	0.0	Int.:	0.0
Cal Date:	1/4/11	Cal Date:	

$Q_a = m[dP \times T_a / P_a]^{1/2} + b$ Altitude Correction Factor: ÷ 1013

Leak Check-Initial	Main:	.16	Aux:	.22
Leak Check-Final	Main:		Aux:	

Audit Point	Audit Flow Rate delta P	(VLPM)	Site Flow Rate (VLPM)	Diff. (%)	Nominal Flow Rates Lower Limit (LPM)	Upper Limit (LPM)
Total Fow Rate	17.04		2.99/13.68 = 16.67		15.0	18.4
Aux. Flow Rate	13.94		13.68			
Main Flow Rate	2.99		2.99		2.7	3.3
Total Flow Rate	16.94		16.67		15.0	18.4

	Sampler	Standard True	Standard Raw
Amb Temp	800		-1.0
Amb Press	-1.8	810.40	813.5

Comments:

Calibrated By: Mike Tan